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In re PATENT Application of
Muller, et. al.

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Examiner: Ebrahim, Nabila G.

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For: METHOD FOR CONTROLLED PRODUCTION OF ULTRAFINE
MICROPARTICLES AND NANPARTICLES

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION, PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME, AND RESPONSE TO ADVISORY ACTION MAILED 29 MAY 2009**

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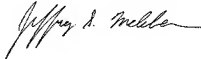
Sir:

Please consider this paper as a petition for extension of time and as a Request for Continued Examination. Please charge any required fees to have this petition and Request entered to our deposit account No. 500687.

In the Advisory Action, the Examiner argues that the specification "does not support the amendment of claim 1 which limits the temperature to below 20C only." Applicants respectfully submit that the originally filed claims are part of the original disclosure. Thus, any subject matter recited in the original claims cannot be considered new matter. Original claim 23 recited "room temperature (20 °C), preferably below this". The language "preferably below this," refers to 20C, which provides clear basis for the term "below 20°C." No new matter has been added.

In view of all of the rejections of record having been addressed, Applicants submit that the claimed invention is in condition for allowance and Notice to that effect is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,
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